

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Attorney Docket No. **020431.0884**

In re Application of:

**VENKATASUBRAMANYAN ET AL.**

Serial No. **10/004,725**

Filed: **4 DECEMBER 2001**

For: **GENERATING A SUPPLY CHAIN PLAN**

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Examiner:

**BETH VAN DOREN**

Art Unit: **3623**

Confirmation No.: **1188**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated 23 November 2007, which provides for a shortened statutory response period ending Monday 25 February 2008, since 23 February 2008 is a Saturday. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.